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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Masaki OHMURA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 4776
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For: LIGHT WAVEGUIDE TYPE GRATING DEVICE AND A METHOD OF MAKING
THEREOF

REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE CITED ART

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Sir:

We are in receipt of the Notice of Allowance dated November 28, 2003.

In reviewing the file, it is noted that we have not received acknowledgement of the Information Disclosure Statement and cited art filed November 12, 2002. Enclosed are copies of the Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and stamped return postcard acknowledgement.


Applicants hereby respectfully request that:

the appropriately acknowledged PTO-1449 be furnished to Applicants; and

the record be clarified to confirm that the cited art has been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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